
A
SPELLING BOOK,

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Spelling - Book,

DESIGNED

To render the Acquisition of the Rudiments
of our native Language easy and pleasant.

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| <p>I. A Preface, explaining the Manner of using the Book.</p> <p>II. Variety of Alphabets, differently arranged.</p> <p>III. A copious Set of Monosyllables, classed agreeably to their Sounds.</p> <p>IV. Words of two or more Syllables, arranged according to their Accent.</p> | <p>V. Sets of Words to be studied as Lessons, previous to reading the Story or Dialogue to which each Set belongs.</p> <p>VI. A Course of easy Reading Lessons for young Children; beginning with single Words of three Letters, and advancing gradually to Sentences of six or seven Words.</p> |
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To which is prefixed,

The CHILD'S LIBRARY; or, a CATALOGUE of
Books, recommended to Children from the Age
of *three* to *twelve* Years.

By Mrs. TEACHWELL. N

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THE
SERIES of LITTLE VOLUMES,

TO WHICH THE
SPELLING LESSONS are designed as an Introduction.

In Monosyllable,

COBWEBS TO CATCH FLIES. VOL. I.
FABLES IN MONOSYLLABLES.

In Words of more than one Syllable,

COBWEBS TO CATCH FLIES. VOL. II.

THE GOOD CHILD'S DELIGHT.

SHORT CONVERSATIONS.

FAMILIAR DIALOGUES.

THE HISTORIES OF MORE CHILDREN THAN ONE.

LITTLE STORIES FOR LITTLE FOLK.

THE HISTORIES OF A GREAT MANY LITTLE BOYS AND
GIRLS.

MRS. TEACHWELL'S FABLES,

*All adorned with Cuts, and sold by J. Marshall and Co.
No. 4, Aldermary Church-Yard, in Bow-Lane, London.*



P R E F A C E.

AN author is naturally anxious, that the purchaser should be satisfied with his bargain; and tries to anticipate the objections which may arise. Perhaps, the first thing that strikes the purchaser of this book, may be the great number of alphabets; the reasons for inserting so many are these,

A child who has a retentive memory, and much vivacity, will often repeat the letters by rote, and never look at, nay, scarcely *know* one character. The different sizes imprints them more strongly, and leads the little pupil to a readiness in distinguishing any type. A new page, and a different arrangement, afford something of *novelty*; which has infinite charms for infancy: for this reason, the book should never be at the disposal of the child, but produced occasionally, as a favor; neither must the learning of the letters be a task; for though a book designed for infants would certainly be deficient without alphabets, yet letters should be

taught by mean of toys, and the sport of acquiring them rendered as lively as possible to the dear little one; who might, *as an indulgence*, be occasionally gratified with a sight of those in the Spelling Book, allowed to compare his own, **a** with those in page 1; or read them over, and arrange his own moveable ones in the same order as they are placed: After a time to do the same with page 3, leaving italics for future occasions;—but, I am at *play* when I should work; as every parent will not think it expedient to purchase toys for instilling the rudiments, to those who choose to settle seriously to *a, b, c*, I must address myself.

When the child knows the letters tolerably well in page 1; then turn to page 3, where they are arranged in different order; and when he has made use of those a few days; *as an indulgence*, turn to page 5, and try whether he can readily name the same characters in a different size? Perhaps the trial should hardly yet be made with the smaller alphabets at page 7: Let the scholar rather be kept where he is, and taught to distinguish the *vowels*; let him be told, that *they* are the letters which give the sound.

When the roman letters are thus become perfectly familiar, our pupil may begin to *read* page

13,* in columns, *ba, ca, &c.*; with which his ear will soon become acquainted; for children catch sounds very readily; but the act of reading syllables is dull; it confines their roving eyes, it is a heavy task, and often disgusts them, so as to raise an aversion for books; which it is difficult to surmount. To prevent this disagreeable consequence is the aim of Mrs. Teachwell's *Spelling Book*: those ladies, therefore, who wish to avail themselves of her labours for that purpose, will allow her to explain the plan for using it.

It has been remarked, that page 13 should be first learned, and *that* in columns; this course should be pursued regularly through the 13th and 14th pages; but, arrived at page 15th, it must be considered, that though the *idea* of sounds is most easily acquired in syllables ending in a vowel, yet a child may be unable to *express* that of two consonants; so that the columns *bla, cla, &c.* may probably be of too difficult a pronunciation for the tender organs of our young pupil; should that be the case, it will be better to pass to page 18, and read *ab, ac*, than to allow of *imperfect articulation*: it is

* It is presumed, that the teacher does the author the honor to read the advertisement, page 9, which was designed as a preface, but afterward thought insufficient.

doubtless much easier to pronounce *bad*, *bad*, &c. than *bla*, *cla*, &c. we may therefore proceed for the present with those easier sounds.

When the three-letter words from page 20 to page 25, have been learned twice or thrice, and are read with ease, without spelling; then the learner should see them fortuitously, to try whether he can name the word *at sight*; and if he can, he may begin with the reading lessons page 109; the teacher first condescending to read page 108, to enter into Mrs. *Teachwell's* views on the subject. It must be made a *pleasure* to read the three first lessons, in portions suited to the capacity (and, I will whisper, *inclination*) of our young pupil. The daily study must now be words of four letters, beginning page 25; and the reading lessons those three at page 109 and 110.

In all stages of our progress, the lesson acquired yesterday should first be recurred to, in order to see that there is a perfect recollection of it, and then a new one begun.

After going twice through the words of four letters in columns to page 43, the same trial may be made as was before mentioned, respecting words of three letters; and then lessons of four

letters (lesson IV and V, page 110, &c.) may be used.

When the whole set of words in monosyllables are acquired (to page 60,) then begin to read the nouns page 115.

And here I must remark, that such lessons may be rendered delightful by the assistance of cuts; moveable ones, to be produced after the lesson is read, are esteemed the best; or such as *Marshall* has, of nouns with their names at the back; rather than to have them appear in the page, to "draw little eyes aside;" an objection which is sometimes made to books embellished with cuts, which, it must be owned, are the most powerful incentives to the love of reading that can be found for children; and, with proper management, the inlet to abundance of ideas. But even *without* their aid much may be done by a lively young mother, who will apply her vivacity to its best use, the information of her children; and endeavour to render the lessons cheerful by such observations as these: "*barn* is a place for corn; *ball* is what you play with;" &c. Such remarks create pauses; they enliven the task; they prevent precipitation; and it can never be too often inculcated, that children must not run on at will till they heave for breath.

The columns of words arranged in sets of *nouns*, *adjectives*, *verbs*, &c. are further designed to be of use to young grammarians; and to assist youthful mothers in teaching the rudiments of grammar. The same remark extends to those lessons of more words, in which the sentences are all constructed in a similar manner, and the part of speech marked above. They may be made conducive to the giving of a clear idea of each; and will enable the teacher, as she sits at her needle, to examine the progress of elder children, and *that* even without the knowledge of grammar herself; it is only to break the sentences, and ask; "What part of speech is *ripe*? — what is *frock*? — what is *brisk*?"

"In my mind's eye," I see a blooming young woman, surrounded by charming little people, of various ages, putting her questions, in turn, to the progress of each. — In imagination I hear her ask of the elder ones some such questions as these.

M. What do we *do* with a drum?

C. We beat it.

M. *Beat* then is something which we *do*; so it is — what?

C. Is it a verb, mamma?

M. Look in page 114 and inform yourself.

“ Oh yes!” (cries the happy child) “ it is the first word among the verbs.”

Always lead children on to discover things for themselves; one discovery is worth a thousand informations.

But to return to our younger pupil, who is only learning to read.

After page 120 has been read with propriety, we may, for change, introduce the first volume of COBWEBS TO CATCH FLIES; the beginning of which supplies easy reading lessons in words of three letters only, perfectly suited to early infancy, with cuts to entice the infantine student on his way. The sentences are longer than those already used, therefore the words ought to be *short*, and of *equal* length; they will serve as a trial, whether our pupil has a just idea of reading? namely, that he should *speak* the sentences precisely as he would were the words his *own*: Children speak the dictates of their own minds with singular propriety: With what vivacity would a child utter any of those infantine sentences! with what spirit do they make enquiries!

As the child advances the same kind of management must be continued; the same address exerted to keep alive curiosity, and to make the lesson conducive to pleasure.

The first volume of COBWEBS contains *infantine prattle* suited to the *gradual progress* of the young scholar; which will supply occasional variety, interspersed with the remaining lessons in the Spelling Book. Let it not be thought disgraceful to be confined long to words of *one* syllable; it will even be expedient frequently to recur to them: In fact, they are often more difficult than the first words of two syllables. To afford variety, *Marshall* has FABLES in MONOSYLLABLES which *Mrs. Teachwell* does not recommend, because she wrote them; but which she wrote, because she thought they would be of use for the same purpose as COBWEBS were designed.

But it is time to proceed to two syllables. At page 61 they begin; and a portion of them should be studied daily.

From page 61 to page 68, the words are arranged in sets as they are accented. At page 69 they begin to be mixed promiscuously, as they occur in the lessons to which they are intended to be an introduction: and here the purchaser may think that the accent should be marked: so thought the writer; and it was begun, and continued through many pages, in spite of difficulty and trouble; but those pages were cancelled, and the plan relinquished—and it is hoped

the book may not be the worse: A child could not have conned his lesson without some attention from the teacher, and that will abundantly supply the deficiency. At page 68 the method of proceeding is explained, and now we enter on the *COBWEBS*, volume the second, in the manner there pointed out; and so on through the *series of little volumes*, if it be agreeable to procure them; if otherwise (as it is remarked in the advertisement) the *words are words*, and occur in other books, which may be more pleasing to the teacher.—Or the course of easy Reading Lessons, from page 109 may suffice. — Those lessons would have appeared much more pleasing had they occupied a greater space; but the increase of price might have been a bar to the general use which Mrs. *Teachwell's love of children* makes her wish; on which account she relinquished the scheme of having them printed with considerable space, as she would otherwise have wished, for the purpose of securing children from reading two sentences without a proper pause between: This however may be effected by mean of a small screen, which will enliven the lesson, by proving an amusement to the child to shift it.

Some apology may perhaps be required for a repetition of the same words, in those sets designed

to be studied as a prelude to reading the stories; perhaps they ought to have occurred *less frequently*; but experienced teachers know that they have their use; the unexpected sight of an *acquaintance* among so many *strangers* cheers and delights the little one, who is travelling through a dreary desert, in an unknown land.

The method adopted, page 68, will surely be approved, were it only that the eager curiosity raised in little minds by the appearance of cuts (added to an innate love of narrative or dialogue) renders it expedient to acquire the *words* of a lesson before an attempt is made to read it. The objection to cuts, as withdrawing the attention of little readers, is obviated by thus previously studying every difficult word.

With regard to the choice of books, Mrs. *Teachwell* fixed on those which she thought the best suited to the plan. It would be false modesty to apologize for admitting her *own* little volumes among those recommended for the purpose, since she wrote them with a view of supplying a series, to render the acquisition of the first rudiments of language an amusement.

Since the printer has had the copy of this Spelling Book, Mrs. *Teachwell* has seen a pleasing little work of the kind, which boasts Mrs. *Trimmer*

for its author : It is written with the same benevolent intention of smoothing the path of infancy, and on a similar plan to this ; a flattering circumstance, though perhaps it may be impolitic to mention it, as the comparison may be no advantage to that of Mrs. *Teachwell*; who desires, however, that it may be placed at the head of her CHILD'S LIBRARY, or catalogue of books, which she ventures to recommend to young mothers for their children.

THE CHILD'S LIBRARY.

- M***RS. Trimmer's Spelling Book.*
Mrs. Teachwell's Spelling Book.
Cobwebs to catch Flies, vol. 1 ; or, Dialogues in short Sentences, adapted to Children from the Age of Three to Five Years, in Words of Three Letters, Four Letters, &c.
Fables in Monosyllables.
Cobwebs to catch Flies, vol. 2, in Words of One Syllable, &c.
Master-Meanwell's Rules.
The Good Child's Delight.
Short Conversations.
Familiar Dialogues.
The Histories of more Children than One.
Little Stories for Little Folks.
The Histories of a great many little Boys and Girls.
Mrs. Barbauld's Lessons.
Mrs. Teachwell's Fables.
Series of Prints—and the Descriptions.
Nursery Conversations.
Tête à Tête Conversations.
Juvenile Correspondence.
Rational Sports.
School Occurrences.
School Dialogues for Boys.
Rational Dame.
The Female Guardian.
Filial Duty recommended and enforced.
The Governess, or little Female Academy.
A Course of Lectures for Sunday Evenings.
Sunday Improvement.
Short Lectures for Sunday Schools.
Birth Day Present.
Hymns in Prose.
Aikin's Calendar of Nature.
Robinson Crusoe.
The Children's Friend.

Mrs. Teachwell's Spelling Book.

a b c d e f g

h i j k l m

n o p q r f s

t v u w x y z

A B C D E F G

H I J K L M

N O P Q R S T

V U W X Y Z

a b c d e f g

h i j k l m

n o p q r s

t v u w x y z

A B C D E F G

H I J K L M

N O P Q R S T

V U W X Y Z

a k b i c j d

h e f g l t

p m f q s n r

o u z v y x w

A K B I C J D

H E G F L T

P M S Q N R O

U Z V Y X W

a k b i c j d
b e g f l t
p m s q s n r
o u z v y x w

A K B I C j D
H E G F L T
P M S Q N R O
U Z V Y X W

a b c d e f g h i j k l
m n o p q r f s t v u
w x y z

A B C D E F G H I
J K L M N O P Q
R S T V U W X Y Z

a e i o u y
—
b c d f g h j k l m n
p q r f s t v w x z

A E I O U Y
—
B C D F G H J K L
M N P Q R S T V
W X Z

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a b c d e f g h i j k l
m n o p q r s t v u
w x y z

A B C D E F G H I
J K L M N O P Q
R S T V U W X Y Z

a e i o u y
b c d f g h j k l m n
p q r s t v w x z

A E O I U Y
B C D F G H J K L
M N P Q R S T V
W X Z

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a e c f d j g k b h i
l p m o n r q s x t f
u w v z y

A G J B L C E K H D
I F M U N Q T R O
S P X V Z Y W

æ ff fi fl fb fh fi fk fl ff ft fh ff fi

æ œ Æ Œ

a e c f d j g k b b i
l p m o n r q s x t f
u w v z y

A G J B L C E K H D
I F M U N Q T R O
S P X V Z Y W

Et ff fi fl fb fh fi fk fl ff ft fh ff fi

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A a
B b
C c
D d
E e
F f
G g
H h
I i
J j
K k
L l
M m
N n
O o
P p
Q q
R r
S s
T t
U u
V v
W w
X x
Y y
Z z

A a
B b
C c
D d
E e
F f
G g
H h
I i
J j
K k
L l
M m
N n
O o
P p
Q q
R r
S s
T t
U u
V v
W w
X x
Y y
Z z

A a
B b
C c
D d
E e
F f
G g
H h
I i
J j
K k
L l
M m
N n
O o
P p
Q q
R r
S s
T t
U u
V v
W w
X x
Y y
Z z

ADVERTISEMENT.

THE syllables are arranged in such a manner as to facilitate the acquisition, by the perpetual recurrence of similar sounds:---the monosyllable words the same; and care has been taken to place each in order agreeable to the sound of the vowel in that particular word; this occasions some apparent repetitions, and perhaps apparent errors: as for instance: *sow*, arranging with *vow* ---and *sow*, *sew*, agreeing in sound with *row* --- with many others of the same kind.

THEY are arranged in columns, as appearing distinct --- and perhaps most pleasing to the eye of childhood. When they have been twice gone through, it will be easy for the teacher to make trial of the

little pupil's progress, by shewing them to him in a different order.

A very copious set of monosyllable words are inserted; and the writer recommends to ladies to keep their pupil confined to them, till he shall have acquired them perfectly --- the rest will be easy.

IN teaching little people, there is often not sufficient attention paid to a very obvious method of leading them on; namely, by giving them the sound of the vowel, or diphthong in that particular word: for instance, suppose the child to hesitate at *trace* --- ask him *a, c, e* --- then *r, a, c, e* --- then prefix *t*; --- *cheat* --- ask him *e, a, t*, then *b, e, a, t*, --- then *c, b, e, a, t*: --- thus he feels his way; and discovering, or rather recognizing, the sound, (for I suppose this to be the second time of going over the words) he retains a clearer idea than he would by being directly informed.

THERE is, perhaps, but one objection to the present arrangement, and that may be obviated by proper attention --- it is, that the similar sounds may lead the little pupil into reading with a tone, such as children acquire when they are suffered to read rhyming verse.

THERE is but a small collection of disyllable and polysyllable words; because the writer thinks it needless to swell the volume with many of them.

IN the choice she was influenced by a wish to gratify the little student; who would doubtless have pleasure in the prospect of reading stories and dialogues suited to his age; and the expectation would certainly be a great spur to his industry: but it does not necessarily follow, that all the little volumes which are named must be purchased. The words are words, and occur in other books, as well as in those

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which the writer had in view. At the same time young ladies, to whom tuition is new, may be pleased to have a set of books, *written purposely for young Children*, announced to them in the order in which they are designed to be read.

THE syllables are divided as they are founded, such being esteemed by the writer the best method ; since the division is of no further consequence, when the words are acquired, so as to be known at sight.

ba	na	be	ne	bi	ni
ca	pa	ce	pe	ci	pi
da	ra	de	re	di	ri
fa	fa	fe	fe	fi	fi
ga	sa	ge	se	gi	si
ha	ta	he	te	hi	ti
ja	va	je	ve	ji	vi
ka	wa	ke	ye	ki	wi
la	ya	le	we	li	yi
ma	za	me	ze	mi	zi

bo	no	bu	nu	by	ny
co	po	cu	pu	cy	py
do	ro	du	ru	dy	ry
fo	fo	fu	fu	fy	fy
go	so	gu	su	gy	sy
ho	to	hu	tu	hy	ty
jo	vo	ju	vu	ky	vy
ko	wo	ku	--	jy	wy
lo	yo	lu	yu	ly	--
mo	zo	mu	zu	my	zy

bla	fra	cha	ble*	pre
cla	gra	pha	cle	tre
fla	pra	dwa	fle	wre
gla	tra	kna	gle	—
pla	wra	fwa	—	bli
fla	fma	twa	bre	cli
—	fna	fca	cre	fli
bra	spa	fka	dre	gli
cra	ftha	fha	fre	pli
dra	—	qua	gre	fli

* To be sounded in the simplest Manner; as in the Beginning of words - - - blee, &c.

bri	kni	twi	bro	kno
cri	fhi	whi	cro	pho
dri	fci	fmi	dro	quo
fri	fki	—	fro	fto
gri	phi	blo	gro	fwo
pri	qui	clo	pro	tho
tri	thi	flo	tro	---
wri	fpi	glo	wro	two
—	fthi	plo	—	who
chi	fwi	flo	cho	—

blu	fru	sku	cly	dry
elu	gru	shu	dly	fry
flu	pru	smu	fly	gry
glu	tru	fnu	gly	pry
plu	wru	spu	ply	try
flu	—	ftu	fly	wry
—	chu	fwu	thy	chy
bru	knu	thu	—	phy
cru	phu	—	bry	thy
dru	fcu	bly	cry	thy

ab	ap	eb	ep	ib
ac	--	ec	--	ic
ad	ar	ed	er	id
af	af	ef	es	if
ag	as	eg	ef	ig
ah	at	--	et	--
ak	aw	ek	--	ik
al	ax	el	ex	il
am	ay	em	ey	im
an	az	en	ez	in

ip	ob	op	ub	up
--	oc	--	uc	--
ir	od	or	ud	ur
if	of	of	uf	uf
is	og	os	ug	us
it	oh	ot	--	ut
iv	ok	ow	uk	--
ix	ol	ox	ul	uv
--	om	oy	um	ux
iz	on	oz	un	uz

bad	cap	tan	bed	wem
had	gap	van	fed	gem
lad	lap	—	led	hem
mad	map	bat	red	—
pad	nap	cat	wed	let
fad	rap	hat	—	met
—	fap	mat	beg	net
bag	tap	rat	leg	fet
hag	—	fat	—	wet
lag	can	vat	fen	yet
nag	fan	—	hen	fex
rag	man	lax	men	vex
tag	pan	wax	pen	—
—	ran	—	ten	web

bib	fig	dip	fix	bog
fib	gig	hip	fix	dog
nib	jig	lip	—	fog
rib	pig	nip	bob	hog
—	rig	fip	fob	jog
bid	wig	tip	job	log
did	—	bit	mob	—
hid	fin	fit	rob	fop
kid	gin	hit	fob	hop
lid	hin	nit	—	lop
rid	pin	pit	God	mop
—	fin	fit	nod	fop
big	tin	wit	rod	top
dig	win	—	—	—

cot	hot	not	tot	box
dot	jot	pot	wot	fox
got	lot	rot	—	—

cub	bug	gum	gun	sup
rub	dug	hum	nun	—
tub	hug	mum	pun	but
—	jug	rum	run	cut
bud	lug	fum	fun	gut
cud	mug	—	tun	hut
mud	rug	bun	—	nut
—	tug	fun	cup	put

cry	pry	fly	fly	spy
dry	try	fly	thy	fly
fry	wry	fly	why	—

bay	may	dew	pew	boy
day	nay	few	yew	coy
gay	pay	hew	due	hoy
hay	ray	jew	hue	joy
jay	fay	mew	rue	toy
lay	way	new	fue	

coo	bow	mow	doe	roe
too	cow	now	foe	foe
woo	low	fow	hoe	toe
—	how	vow		

bow	row	off	die	lie
low	fow	oft	fie	pie
mow	tow	—	hie	tie

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old	pea	fee	ell	ill
owe	fea	fee	elk	inn
own	tea	—	elm	ink
—	—	ebb	end	imp
lea	bee	egg	—	odd

awe	taw	ear	oat	yew
daw	—	eat	—	—
haw	ace	—	oil	key
jaw	age	eye	—	she
law	ape	ice	one	fle
maw	are	—	won	—
paw	—	oak	—	who
raw	aid	oar	ufe	—
faw	aim	oaf	you	act

and	afh	arm	ask	afs
apt	ark	art	asp	—

back	lamp	rank	fang
hack	vamp	fank	tang
jack	—	tank	—
lack	band	—	cash
pack	hand	cant	dash
rack	land	pant	gash
fack	sand	rant	hash
tack	—	—	lash
—	bank	bang	math
camp	hank	rang	rash
damp	lank	hang	fash

lamb	laft	park	lefs
jamb	maft	—	mefs
—	paft	bard	—
lafs	—	card	beft
mafs	gaſp	hard	jeft
paſs	haſp	yard	neft
—	raſp	—	reft
bath	—	carp	teft
lath	heft	harp	veft
path	—	—	weft
—	bark	harm	—
(hath)	cark	farm	bend
—	dark	—	fend
caſt	lark	garb	lend
faſt	mark	yarn	mend

rend	fell	belt	fern
fend	fell	felt	yern
tend	tell	melt	_____
vend	well	pelt	jerk
_____	_____	_____	_____
bent	beck	next	bill
lent	neck	text	fill
rent	peck	vext	gill
sent	_____	_____	hill
tent	help	herb	kill
vent	yelp	verb	mill
went	_____	_____	pill
_____	pelf	herd	rill
bell	felf	_____	fill
dell	held	term	till

will	kick	milk	wisp
_____	lick	filk	_____
gilt	nick	_____	pith
hilt	pick	limb	with
jilt	fick	_____	_____
milt	wick	link	fist
filt	_____	pink	hist
tilt	king	fink	kist
wilt	ring	wink	list
_____	fing	_____	mist
dint	wing	hifs	_____
hint	_____	kifs	mild
lint	gift	mifs	wild
mint	fist	_____	_____
_____	list	lisp	bind

pint	bond	rock	holt
—	fond	sock	jolt
find	pond	—	—
hind	—	bold	boll
kind	long	cold	poll
mind	fong	fold	joll
rind	—	gold	roll
wind	tofs	hold	toll
—	toft	mold	—
bird	—	fold	(monk)
gird	cock	told	—
—	dock	—	loft
girl	hock	bolt	foft
—	lock	colt	—
firm	mock	dolt	moth

bomb	lord	bofs	luck
tomb	_____	lofs	muck
womb	hoft	mos	fuck
_____	moft	_____	tuck
boom	poft	coft	_____
room	_____	loft	buff
_____	form	_____	cuff
born	_____	doth	huff
corn	worn	_____	muff
horn	_____	comb	puff
_____	pork	_____	ruff
fork	_____	doft	_____
_____	fort	_____	cull
form	port	buck	dull
cord	_____	duck	gull

hull	bust	rung	pull
_____	dust	fung	_____
bump	must	_____	busk
jump	rust	curl	_____
lump	_____	hurl	push
rump	dumb	purl	_____
_____	_____	_____	blab
gush	hunt	hurt	crab
hush	_____	_____	drab
rush	gulp	curd	stab
_____	pulp	_____	_____
busk	_____	turf	clad
dusk	bung	_____	glad
husk	dung	bull	_____
musk	hung	full	brag

drag	than	wrap	warp
_____	_____	_____	_____
flag	brat	fcar	want
_____	chat	ftar	wash
ftag	gnat	_____	_____
_____	flat	fwab	balm
dram	plat	fwan	calm
sham	that	_____	halm
_____	_____	what	palm
flax	chap	_____	psalm
_____	clap	wasp	_____
bran	flap	_____	barm
clan	flap	warm	farm
plan	fnap	_____	harm
span	trap	warn	_____

bred	step	grin	knit
_____	_____	shin	slit
bled	fret	skin	spit
fled	_____	spin	whit
shed	crib	thin	_____
_____	glib	twin	grig
them	_____	_____	twig
_____	brim	chip	_____
then	grim	clip	clod
when	trim	flip	plod
_____	skim	ship	shod
whet	swim	skip	trod
_____	whim	trip	_____
wren	_____	whip	clog
_____	chin	_____	flog

frog	knot	drug	flur
_____	trot	plug	spur
from	spot	flug	_____
_____	_____	fnug	bade
chop	(whom)	_____	cade
crop	_____	glut	fade
drop	crum	fhut	jade
prop	drum	flut	lade
fhop	_____	_____	made
flop	drub	fhun	wade
ftop	grub	ftun	_____
_____	_____	_____	dace
blot	club	fhed	face
plot	chub	_____	lace
flot	_____	blur	_____

mace	fake	bane	tale
pace	take	cane	vale
race	wake	lane	wale
—	—	mane	—
cage	came	pane	bare
page	dame	vane	care
rage	fame	wane	dare
fage	game	—	fare
wage	lame	bale	hare
—	name	dale	mare
bake	fame	gale	pare
cake	tame	hale	rare
lake	—	male	tare
make	fafe	pale	ware
rake	—	fale	yare

bate	tape	(have)	lice
date	_____	_____	mice
gate	cave	here	nice
hate	gave	mere	rice
late	lave	_____	vice
mate	nave	(were)	file
pate	pave	_____	mile
rate	rave	bide	pile
fate	fave	hide	tile
_____	wave	ride	vile
base	_____	fide	wile
case	maze	tide	_____
_____	_____	wide	life
cape	(gape)	_____	wife
nape	_____	dice	_____

like	wine	wire	bone
pike	_____	_____	hone
_____	pipe	bite	tone
lime	ripe	kite	_____
rime	wipe	mite	bole
time	_____	rite	dole
_____	rife	_____	hole
dine	wife	dive	mole
fine	_____	five	pole
kine	dire	hive	_____
line	fire	_____	cope
mine	hire	give	hope
nine	mire	live	mope
pine	fire	fieve	pope
vine	tire	_____	rope

core	nose	done	fume
more	pose	_____	_____
pore	rose	dove	tune
fore	_____	love	_____
tore	dote	_____	fure
wore	mote	lose	pure
yore	note	_____	_____
_____	rote	hone	lute
joke	vote	_____	mute
poke	_____	mule	_____
woke	(dose)	rule	muse
yoke	_____	pule	_____
_____	come	_____	laid
dose	some	duke	maid
hose	_____	puke	paid

fail	main	leek	deep
hail	pain	meek	keep
jail	rain	reek	peep
mail	vain	seek	weep
nail	wain	week	—
pail	—	—	deer
rail	fair	feel	jeer
fail	pair	heel	leer
tail	—	reel	peer
vail	bait	—	—
wail	wait	seem	been
—	—	teem	keen
fain	maim	—	feen
gain	—	beef	—
lain	(hair)	—	feet

meet	peal	heap	near
_____	feal	leap	year
flea	teal	neap	_____
plea	veal	reap	eafe
_____	weal	_____	_____
lead	_____	beat	dead
mead	beam	heat	_____
read	ream	meat	deaf
_____	feam	neat	_____
leak	team	peat	bear
weak	_____	feat	tear
_____	lean	_____	wear
deal	mean	dear	_____
heal	wean	fear	good
meal	_____	hear	hood

wood	cool	foop	foal
—	fool	boot	goal
book	tool	hoot	foal
cook	—	root	—
hook	mood	—	foam
look	—	poor	loam
rook	doom	—	roam
took	room	door	—
—	—	—	boat
foot	moon	goad	coat
foot	noon	load	goat
—	foon	road	moat
hoof	—	toad	—
roof	hoop	—	boar
—	loop	coal	hoar

roar	coin	bray	grey
—	join	dray	they
loaf	—	fray	whey
—	daub	gray	—
oath	—	pray	brew
—	craw	tray	crew
coax	draw	—	drew
—	flaw	clay	—
foap	gnaw	play	blew
—	thaw	flay	flew
foil	—	—	flew
toil	dawn	ftay	ftew
—	fawn	—	—
void	lawn	(flay)	lieu
—	pawn	—	view

blue	fowl	brow	plank
clue	_____	crow	_____
flue	gout	grow	frank
glue	pout	prow	prank
_____	rout	_____	ftank
true	_____	bowl	thank
_____	plow	_____	_____
(shew)	_____	fcrap	black
_____	down	ftap	clack
them	gown	_____	flack
_____	town	cramp	_____
loud	_____	ftamp	crack
_____	blow	_____	ftack
foul	flow	blank	_____
houl	glow	flank	fpbat

stand	thatch	brass	marsh
_____	_____	grass	_____
brand	trash	_____	(want)
grand	gnash	blast	_____
strand	_____	_____	bless
_____	clash	clasp	_____
shall	flash	grasp	crefs
shalt	_____	_____	dress
_____	hanch	arch	press
plant	lanch	march	stress
scant	branch	_____	_____
_____	stanch	plank	flesh
match	_____	stank	_____
patch	class	_____	fresh
snatch	glass	harsh	thresh

bench	shred	stern	shrill
tench	_____	_____	swill
wench	check	perch	_____
_____	speck	_____	spilt
stench	_____	scREW	stilt
drench	spent	shrew	_____
wrench	scent	threw	spring
_____	_____	_____	_____
tenth	cleft	shew	split
length	theft	strew	_____
strength	_____	_____	drift
_____	shell	chill	shift
blend	smell	skill	swift
spend	spell	spill	thrift
_____	swell	still	_____

scrip	brink	fixth	night
strip	chink	—	right
—	drink	flitch	fight
smith	stink	stitch	tight
—	think	twitch	wight
bring	—	witch	—
fling	shrink	—	mild
sling	—	which	wild
sting	flint	—	—
swing	print	high	child
thing	stint	nigh	—
—	—	—	bind
spring	nymph	fight	find
string	—	light	mind
—	fifth	might	rind

wind	brick	throng	worfe
_____	_____	wrong	_____
blind	birch	_____	crofs
_____	_____	tongs	drofs
ninth	block	_____	flofs
_____	clock	throb	glofs
white	flock	_____	_____
_____	frock	front	broth
firt	knock	_____	froth
fhirt	fhock	bout	cloth
fkirt	ftock	fcout	_____
fhirk	_____	_____	fcorn
_____	thong	word	thorn
twirl	prong	_____	_____
whirl	ftiong	world	ftork

storm	both	gruff	strut
_____	loth	snuff	_____
snort	floth	stuff	cluck
_____	_____	_____	pluck
scorch	forth	plump	stuck
_____	_____	stump	struck
torch	fourth	thump	_____
_____	_____	trump	plum
horse	blush	_____	_____
gorse	flush	drunk	thumb
_____	_____	trunk	_____
grofs	brush	_____	thump
_____	crush	scrub	_____
ghost	_____	_____	blunt
_____	bluff	shrub	_____

brunt	grace	scale	glare
grunt	place	stale	share
—	space	—	stare
churl	—	blame	scare
—	blade	flame	snare
blurt	shade	frame	spare
spurt	spade	shame	—
—	trade	—	prate
scurf	—	crane	grate
—	drake	plane	scate
nurse	flake	—	slate
purse	shake	crape	stare
—	snake	grape	—
brace	stake	shape	brave
chace	—	—	crave

grave	waste	charge	sense
knave	_____	_____	_____
shave	chaise	carve	french
slave	phrase	starve	drench
stave	_____	_____	trench
_____	bath	chance	wrench
stage	lath	dance	_____
_____	_____	prance	delve
bathe	badge	trance	twelve
swathe	fadge	_____	_____
_____	_____	hence	scheme
baste	fane	fence	theme,
haste	_____	pence	_____
paste	barge	thence	herse
taste	large	whence	verse

ferge	wince	thrice	spine
verge	prince	_____	_____
_____	_____	bribe	spire
serve	finge	tribe	_____
_____	hinge	scribe	prize
there	_____	_____	_____
where	cringe	knife	chime
_____	fringe	strife	_____
ridge	fwinge	_____	crime
bridge	twinge	spike	prime
_____	_____	strike	slime
mince	price	_____	_____
_____	slice	smile	brine
rinse	spice	stile	shine
since	twice	_____	swine

thine	writhe	snore	flope
twine	shire	store	_____
_____	_____	swore	fmote
gripe	broke	_____	wrote
tripe	choke	close	_____
stripe	smoke	prose	stroll
snipe	stroke	chose	scroll
_____	_____	those	whole
drive	drone	_____	_____
strive	prone	clove	(whose)
thrive	stone	drove	_____
_____	throne	grove	love
tithe	_____	_____	shove
_____	score	globe	glove
blithe	shore	_____	_____

probe	(once)	fpain	their
_____	_____	train	_____
clothe	forge	_____	eight
loathe	_____	chair	freight
_____	gorge	_____	weight
rogue	_____	frail	_____
vogue	(fconce)	_____	eighth
_____	_____	faint	_____
loath	(tongue)	faint	choice
both	_____	taint	voice
_____	wolves	_____	_____
broach	_____	faith	broil
coach	brain	faith	fpoil
loach	chain	_____	_____
_____	ftain	heir	joint

point	guilt	pause	pound
_____	quilt	gauze	round
noise	_____	_____	found
poise	squirt	fauce	wound
_____	_____	_____	_____
moist	fraud	laugh	couch
joist	_____	_____	pouch
foist	caught	draught	vouch
_____	taught	_____	_____
quick	_____	quaff	crouch
_____	daunt	_____	flouch
squib	haunt	bound	_____
_____	taunt	found	croud
quince	vaunt	ground	proud
_____	_____	hound	shroud

cloud	plough	cough	could
—	flough	trough	should
clout	—	—	would
doubt	count	bought	—
—	mount	fought	(touch)
scout	—	nought	—
shout	house	ought	(wound)
spout	louse	—	—
stout	mouse	dough	group
trout	rouse	though	—
—	—	—	mourn
sprout	ounce	mould	—
—	bounce	—	course
mouth	pounce	(through)	—
fouth	—	—	youth

truth	screen	fleet	fleece
_____	_____	sheet	_____
cheek	kneel	sweet	fleeve
fleck	steel	street	_____
_____	wheel	_____	bloom
bleed	_____	freeze	broom
_____	creep	_____	groom
breed	_____	freeze	_____
speed	sleep	_____	spoon
steed	steep	sneeze	swoon
_____	sweep	squeeze	_____
queen	_____	_____	droop
_____	cheer	cheese	scoop
green	steer	_____	sloop
spleen	_____	geese	_____

f fool	breach	f squeak	f heaf
f school	preach	—	—
—	—	f team	reap
booth	break	—	—
foothe	creak	bream	cheap
—	freak	cream	fneap
goose	freak	dream	—
loose	wreak	f stream	heath
—	—	f scream	fheath
choofe	bleak	—	wreath
noofe	fneak	clean	—
—	fpeak	gleam	east
each	leak	—	beaft
reach	weak	knead	feast
teach	—	plead	least

clear	cheat	pearl	head
steer	heat	_____	stead
spear	treat	earn	_____
_____	wheat	learn	bread
ease	_____	_____	dread
fleas	cleave	earth	spread
pease	heave	_____	thread
please	leave	dearth	tread
tease	weave	_____	_____
_____	_____	bear	threat
cease	breathe	swear	_____
leafe	sheathe	_____	breast
peace	wreath	great	_____
_____	_____	_____	fwear
bleat	earl	dead	_____

breadth	poach	croak	groat
—	roach	—	—
cleanse	—	throw	brown
—	broach	—	crown
health	—	thrown	drown
stealth	boast	—	frown
wealth	coast	know	—
—	roast	—	clown
realm	toast	known	—
—	—	—	fief
heart	float	grow	chief
—	throat	—	thief
hearth	—	grown	—
—	cloak	—	brief
coach	—	broad	—

niece	fierce	bruise	squire
piece	pierce	cruise	—
—	tierce	—	guard
fiend	—	guide	—
—	(friend)	—	brawl
field	—	guile	crawl
shield	fruit	—	drawl
wield	fuit	quite	—
yield	—	—	brawn
—	juice	quire	drawn
priest	—	—	prawn

The following to be acquired as they are sounded when they are concluding Syllables.

ble	dle	gle	ple	tle	cre
cle	fle	kle	fle	zle	bre

a-ble	wad-dle	fet-tle
ta-ble	raf-fle	wref-tle
fee-ble	ruf-fle	muz-zle
bi-ble	fin-gle	a-cre
no-ble	pric-kle	lu-cre
bub-ble	sta-ple	mi-tre
fad-dle	stee-ple	lus-tre
mid-dle	peo-ple	scep-tre

tion is founded *soon*.

ac-tion	na-tion	por-tion
fic-tion	no-tion	fuc-tion

Words of Two Syllables, in which the Accent is on the First.

A-ble	cer-tain	fel-low
ab-sent	cru-el	fid-dle
ab-sence	cau-tion	flow-er
ac-tion	con-duct	fool-ish
a-ny	con-stant	fort-night
an-swer	cor-ner	fre-quent
ap-ple	chil-dren	fu-ture
bar-row	crea-ture	fath-er
ba-sin	coun-try	gar-den
bet-ter	dan-ger	gen-tle
beau-ty	du-ty	giv-en
but-ter	ea-ger	harm-less
bid-ding	ea-sy	hard-ship
break-fast	el-der	hap-pen
broth-er	e-ven	hap-py
bus-tle	feath-er	high-er
car-ry	fear-ful	hu-mour

hun-gry	mis-chief	pat-tern
health-ful	mod-est	pea-cock
hon-ey	mor-al	pen-five
in-sect	morn-ing	per-fect
in-stant	moth-er	per-il
in-sult	na-tion	pres-ent
in-jure	naugh-ty	prop-er
joy-ous	nev-er	pru-dent
learn-ing	no-tice	pru-dence
lec-ture	noth-ing	pun-ish
les-son	nose-gay	pic-ture
let-ter	oth-er	pleas-ure
list-en	oft-en	pleas-ed
like-wise	of-fer	poc-ket
lit-tle	on-ly	pow-er
med-dle	o-pen	pret-ty
mem-ber	or-der	qui-et
mer-cy	par-lour	read-er
mer-it	pa-rent	re-al
mes-sage	pas-sage	rea-son

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rough-ly	for-ty	treat-ment
fat-chel	sub-ject	trum-pet
fen-tence	sum-mer	ty-rant
fer-vice	suf-fer	ven-ture
sev-enth	sup-per	wa-ter
shad-ow	sur-ly	watch-ful
shame-ful	sure-ly	weath-er
six-ty	stub-born	wheth-er
shoul-der	stu-pid	wick-ed
spi-der	strength-en	wil-ling
fil-ly	sto-ries	wis-dom
fis-ter	thank-ful	worth-y
small-est	treas-ure	writ-ten
some-what	tem-per	win-ter
speak-ing	ten-der	yel-low

Words of Two Syllables, in which the Accent is on the Second.

A-bove	ac-quaint	af-ford
a-broad	a-gree	af-fist

ap-point	con-ceit	ex-act
a-muse	con-sist	ex-cept
a-side	con-tent	ex-claim
at-tend	con-trol	ex-plain
a-round	cor-rect	im-press
a-void	de-fend	im-prove
a-while	de-fence	in-dulge
ac-coft	de-cline	mam-ma
ad-vice	de-light	ob-ject
a-mis	de-privé	o-blige
be-have	de-serve	ob-serve
be-fore	de-sist	or-dain
be-hind	di-rect	per-haps
be-yond	di-vert	per-sist
be-lieve	di-vide	per-suade
be-tween	dis-guise	pre-pare
col-lect	de-fire	pre-sent
com-mand	em-ploy	pre-tend
com-mend	en-quire	re-ceive
com-ply	ex-pose	re-deem

re-fuse	re-pose	sup-port
re-gard	re-turn	se-vere
re-joice	re-ward	tor-ment
re-late	se-cure	trans-gress
re-lease	sub-mit	un-just
re-peat	sup-ply	un-less
re-ply	some-times	with-out

Words of Three Syllables, in which the Accent is on the First.

An-i-mal	fam-i-ly	mul-ti-ply
broth-er-ly	hap-pi-ness	per-fect-ly
cha-rac-ter	his-to-ry	pleas-ant-ly
coun-ten-ance	mit-i-gate	pun-ish-ment
dis-mal-ly	mem-o-ry	sum-mon-ed
e-qual-ly	mer-ri-ly	worth-i-ly
ev-e-ry	man-ner-ly	wil-der-ness

Accent on the Second Syllable.

An-oth-er	di-rect-ly	di-vi-ded
af-fist-ance	dis-plea-fed	in-qui-ry
be-lov-ed	dis-po-fed	pre-fer-ment
con-sid-er	dis-tin-guish	re-mem-ber
de-light-ed	dis-tress-ed	re-gard-less

Accent on the Third Syllable.

Con-tra-dict	grand-pa-pa	re-col-lect
dis-o-bey	o-ver-take	vi-o-lin

Words of Four Syllables, in which the Accent is

On the Second,

Ex-preff-i-on
good-hu-mour-ed
pro-pri-e-ty

On the Third.

ac-cu-sa-tion
ex-pe-di-tious
sat-is-fac-tion

The little pupil (having repeatedly read the spelling lessons in portions suited to his capacity) should read the following sets of words; a set at a time, as a lesson, previous to reading the story to which that set belongs: and, after reading the lesson, he may spell the words as an exercise. The method designed is this:

The set of words should be carefully read aloud, under the inspection of the teacher; then studied previous to reading the lesson to which it belongs. After the lesson is read, the little pupil may be called upon to spell the words which it contained.

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VOLUME II.

The Bees.

A-bout	flow-ers	sup-ply
a-broad	hon-ey	sup-port
col-lect	lit-tle	ven-ture
crea-ture	mam-ma	weath-er

The Flies.

A-void	hun-gry	oth-ers
ba-fin	i-dle	pa-pa
cor-ner	man-ner	sum-mer
hin-der	morn-ing	win-ter

The Spider.

Af-ter	es-cape	qui-et
a-while	hap-py	spi-der
a-way	his-to-ry	un-fold
dan-ger	in-sects	un-roll
dis-guise	pack-ed	watch-ing

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The Bird.

A-light	hun-gry	some-times
feath-ers	moth-er	up-on
gen-tly	pa-rents	walk-ing

The Stubborn Child.

Ac-coft	du-ty	prop-er
ac-quaint	fin-ger	rea-son
ac-quit	in-quire	rough-ly
a-gain	in-qui-ry	shoul-der
al-ways	lei-fure	fil-ly
an-fwer	mat-ter	fnatch-ing
ba-bies	med-dle	spo-ken
chil-dren	naugh-ty	fur-ly
com-fort	o-bey	ta-ken
con-fe-quence	oc-ca-fi-on	them-selves
con-fid-er	or-der	treat-ment
dis-o-bey	pa-pa	un-kind
dis-plea-fed	per-son	un-lefs
dis-po-fed	prof-it	your-self

C O B W E B S, &c.

V O L II.

The Pictures.

Ac-count	ex-cept	pat-tern
a-muse	ex-claim	pen-ny
an-nounce	ex-plain	pic-ture
be-came	ev-e-ry	pres-ent
beau-ty	fort-night	pret-ty
be-lov-ed	gal-le-ry	pun-ish-ment
broth-er	good-hu-mour	read-er
cha-ract-er	harm-les	re-pent
col-our	health-ful	re-quest
com-ply	help-les	re-deem
con-tra-dict	im-prove	sis-ter
cru-el	in-dulge	ser-vant
de-fence	in-ten-tion	stu-pid
de-sign	la-dy-ship	ty-rant
dif-fer-ent	mad-am	worth-i-ly
dif-o-bey	mem-o-ry	writ-ten
el-der	op-press	vis-it-or

C O B W E B S, &c.

V O L. II.

The Hedge-Hog.

Ac-cu-sa-tion	e-qual-ly	no-tice
af-fec-tion-ate	ex-cel-lent	o-blige
a-gree	ex-pe-di-tious	oth-er
a-miss	fam-i-ly	pas-si-on
ap-pear	far-mer	pos-si-ble
a-round	grand-pa-pa	pro-mote
as-sist-ance	hap-pi-ness	re-col-lect
be-have	hedge-hog	re-joice
broth-er-ly	in-crease	re-lease
com-pas-sion-ate	in-jure	re-lieve
crea-ture	in-stant	re-peat
de-light	jeal-ou-sy	re-pent
de-prive	man-ner	re-plied
dis-tress	man-y	sat-is-fac-tion
di-vide	mem-ber	sep-a-rate
du-ty	mit-i-gate	shame-ful
e-qual	mul-ti-ply	sta-tion

C O B W E B S, &c.

sure-ly	to-geth-er	whol-ly
ten-der	tor-ment	wick-ed
there-fore	un-just	wil-ling

The Useful Play.

A-loud	pre-pare	sen-tence
dis-tin-guish	pro-pri-e-ty	sub-ject
ex-press-i-on	pro-pose	strength-en
pas-sage	per-fect-ly	un-der-stand

The Happy Family.

Af-ford	dan-ger	nose-gay
a-muse	de-light	noth-ing
ap-ple	earn-est	o-bey
af-fist	gar-den	oft-en
a-fide	hap-pi-est	own-er
bar-row	hard-ship	pen-five
car-ry	i-de-a	per-fect
con-tent	mes-sage	per-son
con-trol	nev-er	pre-sent

G O B W E B S, &c.

per-form	re-ward	whe-ther
read-y	sum-mon	wo-man
re-ceive	wa-ter	youn-ger

The Fair.

A-bout	con-duct	mo-ment
ad-vise	ea-ger	ob-ject
an-oth-er	fear-ful	pleas-ant-ly
a-round	for-bade	pres-ent
cau-tion	fid-dle	pru-dent
cer-tain	joy-ous	re-late
charm-ing	mer-ry	them-selves
com-mend	mer-ri-ly	trum-pet

The GOOD CHILD'S DELIGHT.

L E S S O N I.

Be-ing	flow-ers	some-times
call-ed	in-to	u-fed
dress-ed	lov-ed	wash-ed

The GOOD CHILD'S DELIGHT.

LESSON II.

Coach-es	hor-fes	up-on
ev-e-ry	oft-en	wa-ter

LESSON III.

Af-ter	hop-ped	fil-ly
a-sleep	lit-tle	up-on
bet-ter	liv-ed	ve-ry
crawl-ed	oth-er	wa-ked
fright-en-ed	run-ning	wish-ed

LESSON IV.

An-gry	hap-py	naugh-ty
ask-ed	kiss-ed	pa-pa
be-fore	mam-ma	fli-ding
e-nough	morn-ing	ti-ed

LESSON V.

An-y	lit-tle	play-ed
be-ing	mo-ved	fis-ter
giv-en	na-tu-red	stop-ped
him-self	oth-er	where-ev-er

The GOOD CHILD'S DELIGHT.

LESSON VI.

Back-wards	e-nough	moth-er
can-not	for-wards	no-tice
chick-ens	hatch-ed	them-selves
drown-ed	lov-ed	trou-ble

LESSON VII.

A-gain	get-ting	pain-ful
be-cause	go-ing	pass-ed
be-gan	hun-ger	pick-ed
bot-tom	liv-ed	rain-ed
chirp-ing	morn-ing	some-thing
cov-er	moth-er	star-ved
di-ed	naugh-ty	stay-ed
fall-en	nev-er	ti-red
fly-ing	oth-er	want-ing

LESSON VIII.

Af-ter	ask-ed	climb-ed
a-gain	bet-ter	fath-er
a-long	call-ed	fright-en-ed

THE GOOD CHILD'S DELIGHT.

far-thing	na-tu-red	shock-ed
hear-ing	pa-pa	flip-ped
horse-back	plea-sed	turn-ed
jump-ed	pull-ed	ver-y
lit-tle	re-joi-ced	walk-ed
man-y	stoop-ed	wheth-er

LESSON IX.

A-way	half-pen-ny	o-bli-ged
be-have	lef-son	peo-ple
bet-ter	li-ked	star-ved
break-fast	liv-ing	sup-per
eat-en	lov-ed	ta-med
earn-ed	mon-ey	walk-ed
feed-ing	morn-ing	with-out
for-ced	no-bod-y	wo-man

LESSON X.

A-gain	an-oth-er	be-cause
a-long	an-fwer-ed	be-gan

The GOOD CHILD'S DELIGHT.

be-have	ev-e-ry	pick-ed
bet-ter	giv-ing	fad-ly
bas-ket	go-ing	fif-ter
bi-ting	in-stead	thank-ed
broth-er	li-ked	turn-ed
chil-dren	naugh-ty	wish-ed
drop-ped	oth-er	your-self

LESSON XI.

A-bout	lit-tle	read-y
a-gain	mam-ma	spoiled
be-fore	o-bli-ged	fil-ly
bro-ken	pret-ty	sto-ries
dir-ty	pic-tures	toff-ed
for-got	pull-ed	u-fed
giv-en	pup-py	vex-ed
gnaw-ed	read-ing	wish-ed

The GOOD CHILD'S DELIGHT.

LESSON XII.

Af-ter	jump-ing	pur-red
a-gain	kit-ten	fil-ly
al-ways	mam-ma	talk-ing
be-cause	mew-ed	tri-ed
drown-ed	moth-er	wa-ked
fall-en	pa-pa	wa-ter
fool-ish	pass-ed	where-in
hur-ry	per-suade	wish-ed

LESSON XIII.

Broth-er	la-bour	reach-ed
chil-dren	li-ked	slip-ped
hold-ing	peo-ple	thank-ed

The GOOD CHILD'S DELIGHT.

LESSON XIV.

A-bout	get-ting	pull-ed
af-ter	in-stead	rub-bed
a-gain	in-to	some-thing
be-fore	kitch-en	some-times
boil-ed	la-dy	spoil-ed
can-not	laugh-ed	step-ped
chan-ged	long-er	ta-bles
chick-en	ma-king	ta-king
clean-ing	mas-ter	ti-ed
comb-ing	mis-chief	ti-red
din-ner	mo-ment	u-fed
feath-er	mon-key	ve-ry
fetch-ed	plea-fed	walk-ed
fill-ed	pop-ped	want-ed
foot-men	pud-ding	watch-ed

The GOOD CHILD'S DELIGHT.

LESSON XV.

A-gain	lit-tle	fad-ly
al-ways	lov-ed	fif-ter
an-y	mam-ma	for-ry
broth-er	na-med	stop-ped
com-fort	par-ty	tri-ed
dri-ed	pic-ture	u-fed
fright-en-ed	play-ing	ver-y
go-ing	per-son	walk-ing

SHORT CONVERSATIONS.

CONVERSATION I.

A-bout	din-ner	pun-ish
al-ways	ev-e-ry	rea-son
an-gry	hand-ker-chief	re-mem-ber
an-swer	hif-to-ry	sto-ry
ba-fin	in-deed	tum-ble
be-cause	mam-ma	wa-ter
be-lieve	naugh-ty	win-dow
de-serve	pa-pa	with-out

SHORT CONVERSATIONS.

CON. II.

A-bout	lit-tle	fif-ter
al-ways	morn-ing	shab-by
be-cause	no-bod-y	shi-ning
bet-ter	nei-ther	there-fore
bon-net	o-bli-ged	ug-ly
dirt-y	peo-ple	un-dress
flow-er	pret-ty	ver-y
gar-den	pret-ti-er	wheth-er
hu-mour	fig-ni-fy	with-out

CON. III.

A-way	hap-pen	per-sist
a-sha-med	hu-mour	pres-ent
an-oth-er	lit-tle	fil-ly
big-gest	mat-ter	fif-ter
gree-dy	nev-er	for-ry
hith-er	on-ly	un-cle

SHORT CONVERSATIONS.

C O N. IV.

A-bout	car-ri-ed	noth-ing
a-live	ev-e-ry	pret-ty
bark-ing	mew-ing	sto-ries
be-cause	na-ture	with-out
can-not	nev-er	wo-man

C O N. V.

Af-ter	ev-e-ry	noth-ing
a-long	fan-cy	pun-ish
a-ny	feath-er	pur-pose
be-cause	heav-i-er	re-mem-ber
chick-en	him-felf	roll-ing
con-sid-er-a-ble	horfe-whip	fad-ly
cru-el	in-deed	them-felves
cru-el-ly	mat-ter	tor-ment
de-serve	no-tice	vic-tu-als

C O N. VI.

A-gain	a-ny	be-have
an-oth-er	a-sha-med	civ-il

SHORT CONVERSATIONS.

clev-er	nev-er	tri-fle
cru-el	no-tice	tow-ard
cour-te-sy	o-bli-ged	un-der-stand
di-rect-ly	pret-ti-ly	ver-y
for-get	rude-ly	win-dow
in-deed	scif-fars	with-out
la-dy	shoul-der	who-ev-er

C O N. VII.

Ac-quaint-ed	ev-e-ry	oft-en-er
a-fraid	fan-cy	on-ly
a-gain	fool-ish	peo-ple
al-though	gar-den	pud-ding
al-to-gether	hur-ry	re-col-lect
be-cause	mam-ma	fil-ly
be-ha-ved	ma-ny	some-times
bet-ter	naugh-ty	them-selves
cour-te-sy	naugh-ti-er	your-self
din-ner	neat-er	win-dow

SHORT CONVERSATIONS.

C O N. VIII.

ba-by	fin-gers	pa-per
be-cause	hap-pen	pret-ty
be-have	hu-mour-ed	rea-son
bet-ter	ma-ny	some-bod-y
can-not	mo-ment	some-times
clev-er	morn-ing	fil-ly
e-ven	my-felf	thick-er
ei-ther	neith-er	thin-ner
ev-e-ry	no-bod-y	wheel-bar-row

C O N. IX.

As-sist	fath-er	mam-ma
at-tend	fin-gers	man-ner
al-ways	fool-ish	mon-ey
ba-by	for-get	moth-er
be-have	hap-py	my-felf
chil-dren	help-less	naugh-ty
di-rect-ly	hif-to-ry	nei-ther
ev-e-ry	in-deed	noth-ing
e-nough	lit-tle	oth-er

SHORT CONVERSATIONS.

pa-pa	prop-er	there-fore
pa-rents	fig-ni-fy	trou-ble
plea-sure	shock-ing	vic-tu-als
pos-si-ble	shoul-ders	wo-men

FAMILIAR DIALOGUES.

DIALOGUE I.—LESSON I.

A-ble	clev-er	pret-ty
an-y	do-ing	re-mem-ber
a-pron	gen-tle-men	some-bod-y
be-cause	hith-er	tip-pet
bod-y	lit-tle	troub-ling
bon-net	mam-ma	try-ing
buf-y	pa-pa	ver-y
can-not	pet-ti-coat	with-out

FAMILIAR DIALOGUES.

DIALOGUE I.—LESSON II.

A-live	fin-ger	pret-ti-er
ba-bies	la-dies	quiet-ly
be-fore	let-ter	squeez-ed
but-ter-fly	light-ed	fyl-la-bles
can-dle	nev-er	there-fore
cer-tain-ly	naugh-ty	whip-ped
cou-fin	oft-en	win-dow
cru-el	par-lour	yef-ter-day

DIALOGUE I.—LESSON III.

Al-ways	ex-er-cise	shi-ny
an-oth-er	gar-den	stri-ped
a-way	gen-tle	thirft-y
care-lefs	hu-mour	tir-ed
car-ry	mo-tion	to-geth-er
cool-er	prop-er	un-der-stand-ing
cour-te-fy	pud-ding	un-lefs
din-ner	qui-et	wat-er
draw-er	ro-fy	wheth-er

FAMILIAR DIALOGUES.
DIALOGUE II.—LESSON IV.

A-bout	gath-er	roll-ing
af-ter-noon	gar-den-er	fad-ly
al-most	goose-ber-ries	stom-ach
ba-ked	hea-vy	ta-ble
big-ger	per-haps	them-selves
but-ter	pre-sent-ly	thick-er
cric-ket	phy-sic	up-right
cur-rants	rab-bit	win-dow
fast-en-ed	roll-er	wood-en

DIALOGUE II.—LESSON V.

A-ble	morn-ing	shil-ling
a-sleep	my-felf	slee-py
car-pet	na-ked	slip-per-y
cham-ber	noth-ing	some-thing
con-tent-ed	play-things	ta-bles
di-rect-ly	pock-et	them-selves
for-ward	pud-ding	to-mor-row
hun-gry	rath-er	un-less
lis-ten	rock-ing	vic-tu-als
mon-ey	sev-en	yon-der

FAMILIAR DIALOGUES.

DIALOGUE III.—LESSON VI.

Af-ter-ward	e-nough	post-chaife
ba-by-house	fur-nish	pos-til-li-on
ba-ker	gro-cers	rai-fin
be-fore	ket-tle	raf-ber-ry
butch-er	ma-ny	fauce-pan
car-pet	mar-bles	fif-ter
cra-dle	mon-ey	some-times
con-fec-tion-er	num-ber	fug-ar
drip-ping	peo-ple	wool-en

DIALOGUE III.—LESSON VII.

A-bout	ci-vi-ly	hur-ry
af-ter	cop-per	in-deed
an-y	deep-er	lad-der
bar-ley	dread-ful	men-tion
bot-tom	fath-er	mor-tar
brick-lay-er	gen-tle-men	need-less

FAMILIAR DIALOGUES.

nev-er	pres-ent	spo-ken
per-sons	re-pair	sta-ble
per-haps	re-quire	sup-pose
pleas-ant	fil-ver	your-self

DIALOGUE IV.—LESSON VIII.

A-ble	but-ter	o-bli-ged
a-sha-med	civ-il-ly	oth-er-wife
bad-ly	di-rect-ly	sim-ple
be-cause	fa-vour	sup-per
be-gan	good-na-tur-ed	trou-ble
be-have	him-self	tues-day
be-ha-ved	in-deed	un-dress
break-fast	naugh-ty	un-less
butch-er	nur-se-ry	won-der

DIALOGUE IV.—LESSON IX.

An-gry	a-way	be-hind
a-sham-ed	be-have	bet-ter

FAMILIAR DIALOGUES.

break-fast	man-ner	sim-ple
civ-il-ly	morn-ing	stock-ing
de-ter-mi-ned	oth-er-wife	ta-ken
fa-vour	pa-tience	trou-ble
hand-ker-chief	read-y	ug-ly
in-deed	ser-vant	wa-ter

FAMILIAR DIALOGUES.

DIALOGUE IV.—LESSON X.

Al-though	hun-gry	pee-vish
al-ways	ill-temp-er-ed	prom-i-sed
as-sist	kind-ly	prop-er
as-sist-ance	mer-ry	rude-ly
civ-il	my-self	shel-ter
din-ner	no-bod-y	sig-ni-fy
fret-ful	no-tice	to-geth-er
fu-ture	of-ten	un-tie
good-hu-mour	o-pen	wheth-er
him-self	par-lour	with-out

The HISTORIES of more CHILDREN than One.

CHAPTER I.

Be-gin-ning	de-cei-ved	pro-vide
be-ha-vi-our	dis-tress	pun-ish-ment
cer-tain	en-quire	trou-ble
chil-dren	guil-ty	un-ea-si-ness
con-tin-ue	ob-sti-nate	un-hap-py
con-tin-u-ed	oc-ca-sion	vi-o-lent-ly
daugh-ter	peo-ple	wick-ed

CHAPTER II.

A-fraid	con-tra-ry	ob-sti-nate
ad-mire	ex-treme-ly	pleas-ure
af-ter-wards	es-teem	per-fect
be-ha-vi-our	hand-some	pos-si-bly
con-sci-ous	in-struct	re-mem-ber
con-se-quent-ly	men-tion	sen-si-ble
con-tin-ue	naugh-ti-ness	un-hap-py

The HISTORIES, &c.

C H A P. III.

At-oms	e-nough	out-side
cer-tain-ly	ex-cuse	pret-ti-est
cheer-ful	ex-ceed-ing	prop-er-ly
com-plex-i-on	flow-ers	re-so-lu-tion
com-pa-ny	fright-en	fel-dom
con-tent-ed	grace-ful	thou-sand
dif-a-gree-a-ble	man-age	tire-some

C H A P. IV.

Ac-cept	dif-turb-ed	not-with-stand-ing
ac-quaint-ed	de-liv-er	mis-for-tune
a-gree-a-ble	ex-pect	per-suade
an-oth-er	fright-ful	pic-ture
beau-ty	gen-teel	po-lite-ly
bus-tle	kit-ten	ques-tion
com-fort-a-ble	mes-sage	un-ea-sy
cou-ple	mis-chief	wretch-ed

LITTLE STORIES for LITTLE FOLKS.

LESSON I.

A-live	crea-ture	peo-ple
an-gry	cry-ing	pun-ish
a-way	in-fide	re-al
be-fore	lit-tle	fil-ly
be-gan	mak-ing	some-thing
bet-ter	man-y	spoil-ed
big-ger	on-ly	tick-ing
bro-ken	o-pen-ed	tri-ed
break-ing	pa-pa	want-ed

LESSON II.

A-ble	kill-ed	fwal-low
ba-by	liv-ed	fwell-ed
ba-boon	look-ed	trou-ble
cram-med	mind-ing	ug-ly
cho-ked	of-ten	u-fed
cough-ed	spo-ken	with-out

LITTLE STORIES, &c.

LESSON III.

An-y	her-self	oth-er
be-cause	hurt-ing	pret-ty
be-hind	kit-ten	pleas-ure
cor-ner	knock-ed	fil-ly
cry-ing	lit-tle	some-times
de-fer-ved	look-ed	un-ti-ed
do-ing	naugh-ty	ver-y
for-gave	of-ten	yel-low

LESSON IV.

A-bout	e-nough	o-bli-ged
ad-mi-red	ev-e-ry	old-er
al-ways	hap-py	peo-ple
be-have	lef-son	pleas-ure
chil-dren	lit-tle	pout-ed
clam-ber	naugh-ty	rea-son
climb-ed	no-bod-y	fel-dom
cru-el	noth-ing	win-dow
dear-ly	nev-er	wo-man

LITTLE STORIES, &c.

LESSON V.

An-y	de-fire	on-ly
a-ble	hap-py	pret-ty
bet-ter	him-self	sa-ved
cheer-ful	mer-ry	fif-ter
chil-dren	mind-ed	sta-ted
cou-fin	mouth-ful	un-less
de-prive	old-er	young-est

LESSON VI.

A-bout	call-ed	in-deed
a-fraid	chil-dren	in-stead
af-ter	dis-tress-ed	kind-ly
al-most	ei-ther	lit-tle
an-y	fright-ful	mon-ey
a-way	growl-ing	old-er
be-fore	go-ing	peo-ple
broth-er	himself	qui-et

LITTLE STORIES, &c.

re-mem-ber	fil-ly	up-on
run-ning	ta-king	walk-ing
scream-ing	think-ing	wa-ter
see-ing	trou-ble	yelp-ing

LITTLE STORIES, &c.

LESSON VII.

A-long	good-hu-mour-ed	per-suade
an-oth-er	hap-pen-ed	rath-er
a-sha-med	hu-mour	some-times
be-fide	hu-mour-ed	for-ry
broth-er	lit-tle	sur-pri-sed
cor-ner	mat-ter	there-fore
di-rect-ly	mer-ry	un-kind
gar-den	pleas-ure	who-ev-er
gal-lop	pur-pose	wheel-bar-row

LESSON VIII.

Ad-mi-red	a-gain	al-most
af-ford	a-like	al-ways

LITTLE STORIES, &c.

be-ha-vi-our	in-stead	oth-er
be-lieve	lit-tle	pa-per
cour-te-fy	liv-ed	poc-ket
dear-ly	let-ter	re-peat
ev-e-ry	mo-ment	stitch-ing
hand-some	nev-er	tem-per
hard-ly	noth-ing	u-fed
i-dle	no-tice	vast-ly
in-deed	of-ten	with-out

LITTLE STORIES, &c.

LESSON IX.

A-way	him-felf	oth-er
be-cause	in-stead	peo-ple
be-have	liv-ed	pun-ish-ed
bet-ter	neigh-bour	quar-ter
de-serve	no-bod-y	rea-son
dis-like	old-er	un-hap-py
eat-en	on-ly	wi-ser
gar-den	o-pen	wretch-ed

*The HISTORY of a great many Little BOYS
'and GIRLS.*

Miss BETSEY HIGGINS.

A-bout	cour-te-sy	o-bli-ged
a-gree-a-ble	de-fi-red	oth-er-wise
al-ways	gen-tle-men	peo-ple
an-gry	heed-lefs	pic-ture
an-oth-er	in-deed	pret-ti-ly
ap-ple	in-to	pret-ty
car-ri-ed	la-dy	fif-ter
cau-tion	lit-tle	some-times
clev-er	maid-en	fpo-ken
com-mon	mam-ma	fwEEP-ing
cor-ner	naugh-ty	ver-y

HISTORY of many little BOYS and GIRLS.

Master TOMMY PIPER.

Ask-ing	gar-den	qui-et-ly
be-cause	giv-en	roar-ing
car-ri-ed	ma-king	fay-ing
chil-dren	mat-ter	stop-ped
cry-ing	na-ked	want-ed
di-rect-ly	naugh-ty	wash-ed
dress-ed	no-bod-y	wheth-er
fret-ful	pret-ti-ly	with-out

Miss PEGGY BRIGHT.

Al-ways	in-deed	nev-er
do-ing	li-ked	o-bli-ged
fin-ish-ed	lit-tle	pret-ty
flow-er-ed	mam-ma	scis-sars
her-self	man-y	u-fed
his-to-ries	neat-ly	ver-y

HISTORY of many little BOYS and GIRLS.

Master GEORGE TRUEMAN.

Ab-sent	civ-il-ly	let-ter
al-ways	dear-ly	mad-am
ap-ple	de-fire	mas-ter
be-have	di-rect-ly	morn-ing
be-fides	dis-plea-sed	or-ange
bet-ter	eat-ing	prop-er
but-ter	fel-low	pun-ish-ed
chil-dren	gen-tle-men	pur-pose
civ-il	hap-pen-ed	sev-en

Miss MARY ANN SELFISH.

Af-ter	dear-ly	treat-ted
a-gree-a-ble	fright-ful-ly	there-fore
a-mong	gree-dy	to-geth-er
ap-ple	hu-mour-ed	ug-ly
con-tent-ed	or-ange	vic-tu-als
car-ri-ed	re-mem-ber	your-self

*HISTORY of many little BOYS and GIRLS.*Miss *SALLY TRIP.*

A-bout	mam-ma	sto-ries
bet-ter	naugh-ty	sto-ry
bis-cuit	naugh-ti-est	fu-gar
giv-en	no-tice	ta-ble
gar-den	oth-er	vic-tu-als
in-deed	peo-ple	whip-ped
let-ter	some-times	with-out

Master *HENRY WISE.*

An-y	lov-ed	plea-fed
bod-y	mer-ry	per-son
cou-sin	naugh-ty	pret-ty
hu-mour-ed	nev-er	spell-ing
like-wife	o-bli-ged	un-cle
lit-tle	peo-ple	wind-mill

Miss *POLLY MEEKLY.*

An-fwer	break-fast	de-fire
be-have	can-not	e-nough
bet-ter	din-ner	fin-gers

HISTORY of many little BOYS and GIRLS.

for-get	man-y	shoul-der
for-got	mas-ter	fil-ly
fold-ed	mad-am	spo-ken
greaf-ed	mo-ment	them-selves
her-felf	on-ly	treaf-ures
hu-mour-ed	pleaf-ure	trou-ble
in-deed	prick-ly	un-der-ftood
lit-ter	pret-ti-ly	wo-men

Mrs. TEACHWELL'S FABLES.

Words of two Syllables, accented on the Firft.

Auk-ward	chef-nut	kind-nefs
ac-tion	dag-gle	la-bour
bau-ble	doc-trine	loo-fen
beau-ty	faith-ful	mir-ror
breath-lefs	glif-ten	mon-key
cen-fure	guil-ty	mim-ic
charm-ing	i-dle	nib-ble
cluf-ter	ken-nel	o-ver

Mrs. TEACHWELL'S FABLES.

plu-mage	ruf-tle	fal-ly
poul-try	scat-ter	ten-der
prat-tle	spat-kle	ver-min
prov-ince	shep-herd	whif-per
ram-ble	fti-fle	worth-less

Words of two Syllables, accented on the Second.

A-crofs	de-bate	for-bid
ac-quire	de-gree	in-dulge
al-low	de-vour	per-fist
ap-proach	dis-trefs	pre-vail
be-hind	en-force	pro-cure
be-ware	e-nough	pro-nounce
be-flow	en-joy	re-frain
com-pare	ex-cept	re-gale
com-plete	ex-cel	re-port
con-ceit	ex-cite	re-prove
de-scend	ex-hort	re-turn

Mrs. TEACHWELL'S FABLES.

Words of three Syllables, accented on the First.

An-i-mal	fre-quent-ly	nat-u-ral
anx-i-ous	grat-i-fy	nur-se-ry
beau-ti-ful	glo-ri-fy	qual-i-ty
con-fi-dent	gov-ern-ment	quan-ti-ty
con-tra-ry	gree-di-ness	fat-is-fy
con-sci-ous	hap-pi-er	thank-ful-ly
el-e-gance	hast-en-ing	won-der-ful

Words of three Syllables, accented on the Second.

Ac-cuf-tom	de-ceit-ful	i-ma-gine
ad-mon-ish	di-rec-tion	in-vi-ting
ad-mit-tance	dis-cov-er	in-dul-gence
as-sist-ance	how-ev-er	pro-hib-it
at-ten-tive	im-pli-cit	re-flec-tion
be-gin-ning	in-cul-cate	re-stric-tion

Mrs. TEACHWELL'S FABLES.

Words of three Syllables, accented on the Last.

In-ter-di-ct		in-ter-fere		re-col-lect
in-ter-pose		o-ver-come		re-com-mend

Words of four Syllables, accented on the First.

a-pi-a-ry		ob-sti-na-cy
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Words of four Syllables, accented on the Second.

Ac-com-pa-ny		im-me-di-ate		se-cu-ri-ty
ac-tiv-i-ty		ju-di-ci-ous		suf-fi-ci-ent
de-lib-e-rate		o-be-di-ent		su-pe-ri-or
de-li-ci-ous		pe-cu-li-ar		vic-to-ri-ous

Words of four or five Syllables.

Cu-ri-of-i-ty		su-pe-ri-or-i-ty
dis-a-gree-a-ble		un-ob-ser-ved
dis-o-be-di-ent		un-rea-son-a-bly
in-ex-press-i-ble		un-tow-ard-ly

EASY READING LESSONS.

F O R

YOUNG CHILDREN.

READING LESSONS.

IN the first lesson, of Nouns,* each single word should be sounded distinctly; as if the question were asked;

What do the letters m, a, n, spell?

And the answer returned, *man*.

I suppose the little pupil to have gone over the monosyllables repeatedly, and to know the words readily *at sight*. When that is the case, it ceases to be expedient for him to read them in order, as they are arranged in the spelling lessons, as he would be apt to contract a tone, from the continual return of similar sounds. Yet he should still be confined to *single* words, and those of *equal* length; otherwise he will slur over such as are new to him, and articulate too strongly those with which he is familiar; or, on the contrary, drawl out the long words, and pass too lightly over the short.

* Parents must judge how much to communicate: perhaps a child may very early comprehend the idea of a noun.

“ A *noun* is the name of a *person*, *place*, or *thing*. Whatever you can see, or hear, or feel, is a *noun*.”

EASY READING LESSONS.

F O R

Y O U N G C H I L D R E N .

LESSON I.

Nouns.

Man	boy	Ann	Tom	Job	Sam
ape	bat	bee	hen	kid	hog
cup	jay	joy	cow	pea	egg
yew	oak	ice	ark	bow	key
owl	ink	eye	asp	eel	oar
afs	fea	elm	ace	doe	fly
pie	faw	fky	ear	oil	fow

LESSON II.

Adjectives.

Apt	big	coy	dry	few	gay
hot	low	new	odd	old	raw
red	fad	fix	two	wet	bad
lax	fly	ten	one	shy	mad

LESSON III.

Verbs.

Ask	are	beg	bid	coo	cry
do	eat	fix	fry	get	go
had	hug	hem	jog	lay	lie
let	met	nip	owe	pay	pry
rip	rob	row	run	say	fit
fet	spy	fip	few	fow	try
tug	rot	rub	fee	vie	vex
win	woo	cut	hit	put	did
can	was	may	pur	has	buy
fee	ran	faw	got	tie	did

LESSON IV.

Nouns.

Barn	ball	bell	bill	bean	book
bowl	boat	buck	bull	boot	bush
camp	cart	calf	cake	cash	colt
club	comb	coop	crab	crow	coot
bird	deer	dove	dice	drum	face

Nouns.

foot	foal	fawn	frog	gate	girl
bear	wasp	tomb	worm	kite	hawk
flea	swan	wren	mule	teal	lamb
girl	maid	wife	lord	king	babe
John	Jane	Luke	Kate	Mark	Jude
town	lane	room	yard	hill	vale

LESSON V.

Adjectives.

Bold	deep	damp	cold	hard
fair	fine	four	keen	kind
fond	firm	glad	long	dull
calm	warm	dumb	lame	soft
wide	wild	weak	dear	deaf
poor	blue	good	loud	lean
high	cool	mild	less	thin
five	foul	grey	mine	neat

Adjectives.

AN Adjective is not very intelligible to a very young child ; the easiest and plainest definition may be acquired by rote, when the teachers find it expedient.

“ An Adjective is a word which denotes the *quality* of any person, place, or thing.”

Elder children may play at finding epithets for nouns ; as thus :

“ What is my muff ? ” — *soft* — *white* — *smooth*, &c.

To such children it may be remarked, that an adjective has in itself no meaning ; for instance, *red*, *pretty*, *neat*, *kind*, *fond*, *dutiful*, these have no meaning alone ; a *red*, a *pretty*, give you no idea ; but add the noun to which one of these adjectives belongs, and the sentence is intelligible ; as, a *red knot*, a *pretty doll*, &c.

Verb.

“**W**HATEVER you *do* is a verb.”

This is easily exemplified to the little one.

For elder children, amusive and instructive sports may be found, by asking, — “What does the dog do?” “*Bark ; growl ;*” &c. &c. An active verb is most intelligible, and should first be taught. I repeat, that the younger one, to whom these are reading lessons, must sound each word, as if he answered — *bark, &c.*

The same must be observed in all the lessons ; for instance, where two words only are combined, those two must be read as a complete sentence ; as if the child were asked — “What is that?” and (seeing the object) answered, — “An *ant*, or a *bat*, or,” &c.

It would be pleasant to have a multitude of cuts of objects, whose names the child had been reading, to exhibit. Some sets are already provided for that purpose, and sold by Marshall (the Child's Printer, in London) who has likewise a *Set of Boxes* for teaching the rudiments of Spelling, Grammar, and Arithmetic ; with a book to explain the manner of using them, called *The Art of Teaching in Sport*.

LESSON VI.

Verbs.

Beat	brag	bend	lick	lend
meet	bark	tofs	wind	lisp
find	fill	ring	hunt	hang
fing	seek	pant	pick	fall
have	wear	tend	fink	hear
does	bind	will	fell	fret
tell	wrap	whet	skim	knit
rend	spin	swim	trip	bake
skip	trot	ride	drub	hide
clip	come	soar	dine	dote
pave	tire	doze	give	reel
wipe	feel	wean	keep	daub
lose	read	flag	coax	pray
weep	shew	hold	grow	love

LESSON VII.

Nouns.

Beast	horse	hound	mouse	sheep
swine	whelp	shrew	crane	goose
grebe	drake	snipe	stork	thrush
quail	buck	brick	broom	furge
lark	plaice	thorn	goose	grape
peach	prune	sword	spade	globe
flute	knife	purse	barge	house
chain	wheel	spoon	coach	flask
clock	brush	hedge	heath	grate
child	nurse	youth	queen	prince
field	street	George	James	friend

LESSON VIII.

Adjectives.

Brisk	brave	brown	black	bleak
broad	coarse	cheap	fleet	fierce
green	grave	moist	plump	rough
fleck	sweet	thick	sharp	white
young	large	clean	brown	short

LESSON IX.

Verbs.

Bring	strew	throw	speak	frisk
think	twirl	knock	stare	prate
bathe	serve	cruise	mince	shine
thrive	break	neigh	rouse	creep

LESSON X.

Article.	Noun.	Article.	Noun.	Article.	Noun.
An	ant	an	oak	a	hawk
a	bat	a	pen	a	jack
a	cow	a	rod	the	king
a	dog	the	sea	a	lark
an	ear	a	tub	a	muff
a	fig	an	urn	a	nail
a	gun	a	bat	the	park
a	hat	a	web	a	rook
the	ice	a	yew	a	shoe
a	jay	a	bull	a	toad
a	kit	a	crab	a	tree
a	lad	the	deer	a	tent
a	mug	a	flag	a	teal
a	net	a	gate	a	trap

LESSON XI.

Noun.	Verb.	Noun.	Verb.
Dogs	bark	cats	mew
owls	hoot	cocks	crow
cows	low	bees	hum
rooks	caw	doves	coo
hens	cluck	birds	sing
lambs	bleat	wolves	howl
colts	neigh	mice	squeak
snakes	hiss	gnats	buzz
hogs	grunt	bears	growl
bulls	roar	ducks	quack
quails	call	babes	cry
frogs	croak	men	speak

Sometimes, *instead* of a *noun* we use a *pronoun* before a verb ; as if I ask, " What sound does the dog make ? " and you answer — " *He* barks. " — " What does the cat do ? " — " *She* mews. " — " What do *Owls* ? " — " *They* hoot. "

Pronoun.

“A PRONOUN is a word used *instead of a noun*, to avoid the too frequent repetition of the same word.”

Thus, instead of saying, “*Mamma teaches Mary,*”
— I say,

“*I teach you.*”

Instead of saying,

“*Mary is good, Mary takes pains, and Mary will soon read well,*” — I say,

“*Mary is good, she takes pains, and she will soon read well.*”

This may be used at discretion, as an easy exemplification of a pronoun.—Those who wish to make the acquisition of the first rudiments of language a sport, may consult *The Art of Teaching in Sport*, the spelling part, and grammar part of which supply a few easy lessons for reading and parsing, enlivened by neat little cuts. — “*To be* is a verb; and now we will use a pronoun and verb.”

LESSON XII.

Pronoun. Verb.

Singular.

I am

thou art

he is

she is

Plural.

we are

ye are

they are

Singular.

I was

thou wast

he was

she was

Plural.

we were

ye were

they were

Pronoun. Verb.

Singular.

I have

thou hast

he has

she has

Plural.

we have

ye have

they have

Singular.

I had

thou hadst

he had

she had

Plural.

we had

ye had

they had

LESSON XIII.

Article.	Adjective.	Noun.	Article.	Adjective.	Noun.
a	new	cap	a	neat	doll
a	red	cow	a	pink	gown
a	bad	pen	a	fine	coat
an	old	pen	a	small	horse
a	red	hat	a	sweet	plum
the	old	pad	a	ripe	grape
a	fair	girl	a	green	cloth
a	good	boy	a	fresh	leaf
a	nice	book	a	clean	frock

LESSON XIV.

Noun.	Verb.	Adjective.	Noun.	Verb.	Adjective.
Doves	are	mild	wolves	are	fierce
dogs	are	bold	flies	are	brisk
cats	are	fly	sheep	are	tame
dogs	are	fond	mules	are	strong
hares	are	wild	crows	are	black
deer	are	swift	swans	are	white
mice	are	shy	moles	are	fleck

LESSON XV.

Noun.	Verb.	Noun.	Noun.	Verb.	Noun.
Bats	eat	moths	seals	eat	fish
owls	eat	bats	birds	have	plumes
moles	eat	worms	cows	have	hair
ducks	eat	toads	sheep	have	wool
cats	eat	mice	goats	have	hair
mice	eat	cheese	fish	have	scales
wolves	eat	flesh	crabs	have	shells
hares	eat	herbs	birds	have	wings
rooks	eat	grubs	fish	have	fins
cows	eat	grass	cows	have	hoofs
calves	suck	milk	dogs	have	toes
birds	eat	worms	dogs	have	claws
birds	eat	grain	cats	have	toes
hawks	eat	birds	cats	have	claws
cats	love	fish	stags	have	horns

LESSON XVI.

Noun.	Verb.	Preposition.	Noun
Birds	come	from	eggs
plants	come	from	seeds
plants	grow	from	roots
fish	come	from	spawn
frogs	come	from	spawn
insects	come	from	eggs
plums	grow	from	stones
oaks	grow	from	acorns
ashes	grow	from	keys
beech	grow	from	mast
roses	grow	from	hips
apples	grow	from	pips
thorns	grow	from	haws

LESSON XVII.

Adjective.	Noun.	Verb.	Noun.
Young	sheep	are	lambs
young	goats	are	kids
young	dogs	are	whelps
young	dogs	are	puppies
young	foxes	are	cubs
young	cats	are	kittens
young	swans	are	cygnets
young	frogs	are	tadpoles
young	kine	are	calves
young	horses	are	foals
young	swine	are	pigs
young	deer	are	fawns
young	bees	are	grubs
young	wasps	are	grubs
young	fleas	are	worms

LESSON XVIII.

Noun.	Verb.	Preposition.	Article.	Noun.
Birds	fly	through	the	air
fish	swim	in	the	water
moles	live	under	the	ground
rabbits	mine	in	the	earth
toads	lurk	in	----	holes
lizards	bask	on	----	banks
snakes	lodge	among	----	bushes
worms	live	in	the	earth
foxes	burrow	in	the	earth
hares	fit	in	----	forms
hogs	roll	in	the	mire
bees	fly	by	----	day
moths	fly	at	----	night
bats	fly	at	----	night
owls	fly	at	----	night
men	walk	on	the	earth
men	sleep	in	the	night

LESSON XIX.

Noun.	Verb.	Article.	Noun.	Preposition:	Noun:
Lambs	are	the	young	of	sheep
kids	are	the	young	of	goats
whelps	are	the	young	of	dogs
puppies	are	the	young	of	dogs
cubs	are	the	young	of	foxes
kits	are	the	young	of	cats
cygnets	are	the	young	of	swans
tadpoles	are	the	young	of	frogs
calves	are	the	young	of	cows
foals	are	the	young	of	mares
pigs	are	the	young	of	hogs
fawns	are	the	young	of	deer

E G G S.

LESSON XX.

Birds lay in nests.
Gnats lay in ponds.
Flesh-flies lay in meat.
Some flies lay in cheese ;
Some in dung ;
Some in gutters ;
Some in the sheep's nose ;
Some on the horse's coat ;
Some in his flesh ;
Some lay on cattle ;
Some in the deer's throat ;
Honey-bees lay in cells ;
Some bees in the ground ;
Some in old trees.
Hornets lay in cells ;
So do wasps.

I N C R E A S E.

LESSON XXI.

Beasts have milk for their young.

Birds lay eggs, and sit on them.

Young birds come out of eggs.

Frogs lay spawn in ponds—

Tadpoles come from the spawn ; — and
tadpoles turn to frogs.

Some birds build nests ; — and feed their
young there.

Fowls seek for food, and call their young
to eat it.

Old cats catch mice, and bring them to
their kittens.

E G G S.

LESSON XXII.

Dor-beetles lay in the ground: the eggs
turn to grubs, which eat the roots of
grafs.

Stag beetles lay in old trees.

Lobsters carry their spawn; so do shrimps;
they carry it under their tails.

Spiders weave webs;

Some make a strong purse for their eggs;

Some hang them close to a wall;

Some carry them about;

Mites lay in cheese.

Snakes lay in dunghils.

Gnats lay in ponds; the eggs turn to grubs;
the grubs change to gnats.

Most birds make nests; but the cuckoo
makes none; she lays in the nest of
other birds.

ARRANGEMENT of four-footed ANIMALS.

Some have whole Hoofs.

LESSON XXIII.

The horse has whole hoofs.

So has the ass.

Some divide the hoof.

The ox, the sheep, the goat, and the deer.

The hog has cloven feet; but the bones
of them, are like those of beasts of prey.

The rest of our an-i-mals are di-gi-ta-ted;
only the seal and the bat.

The seal is pin-na-ted; and the bat is
winged.

F O O D.

LESSON XXIV.

Our hoofed an-i-mals eat herbs.

Hogs will devour flesh; they eat all kinds
of filth; but love roots and fruits.

Cats are beasts of prey; they catch mice
and birds.

F O O D.

Dogs are beasts of prey in a state of nature ; but they are become our servants.

The fox is a beast of prey ; he is sly and subtle ; he steals our poultry ; and kills game.

The badger eats fruit, in-sects, and frogs.

The otter is a beast of prey ; he eats both fish and flesh.

LESSON XXV.

Weasels are small beasts of prey ; they eat chickens, birds, mice, and rats.

Hares and rabbits eat herbs.

Squirrels eat nuts, young shoots, and young cones of firs.

Dormice eat nuts.

Rats eat almost ev-e-ry thing.

Mice eat corn, nuts, cheese, and bread.

The hedge-hog eats roots, fruits, worms, and insects.

F O O D.

Moles eat worms, insects, and roots.

Shrew-mice eat corn, and insects; they are often seen rooting among filth; perhaps to get grubs.

The seal feeds on fish.

Bats eat insects; and will eat meat if they can get it.

ANIMALS USEFUL to MAN.

LESSON XXVI.

The horse works for us.

So does the ass.

The ox is food for us; his flesh is beef.

We make candles of his tallow.

Leather is the skin of beasts.

There is scarce any part of an ox but what is of use.

The blood, fat, marrow, hide, hair, horns, hoofs, milk, cream, butter, cheese, whey, bones, all the entrails, and the dung, have their use.

ANIMALS USEFUL to MAN.

We owe many of the comforts of life to the ox ; food, cloaths, and med-i-cine.

Ox is the fam-i-ly name for our horned cattle.

Cows give us milk; and bring us calves.

Calves are food for us : veal is the flesh of a calf.

Sheep are very useful : they supply us with food and cloaths.

Sheep give us wool ; of wool we make warm cloaths.

Sheep bring us lambs ; and lambs are good food.

Goats give milk, and bring kids ; the flesh of kids is good ; and we make gloves of their skins.

Deer give us food and cloaths.

The flesh is ven-i-son ; the skin is of use.

The horns are made into hartshorn.

Hogs are of great use to us.

ANIMALS USEFUL to MAN.

Pork is the flesh of swine.

They bring us pigs, which we eat.

We make brushes of hog's bristles.

Cats catch the mice and rats.

Dogs do us great service; they watch for us; help to keep sheep; catch hares; and help to catch all kinds of game.

Dogs will learn to do any thing.

A dog is fond of his master, and will defend him.

A dog is a kind of friend.

Of WILD ANIMALS.

LESSON XXVII.

Foxes do us some harm; they catch our fowls, and kill game.

Badgers do no harm; their flesh is good — the fur and hair are useful.

Of WILD ANIMALS.

Otters destroy fish; their fur is of use.

Weazels steal our poultry; but they destroy rats and mice.

Hares are harmless creatures; their flesh is good; and their skins of use for hats.

The same may be said of rabbits; we make muffs of their skins.

Squirrels are pretty, sportive, and harmless.

Dormice do us no harm.

Rats and mice rob and molest us.

Hedgehogs are quite harmless.

Moles injure the roots of plants.

Shrew-mice eat some corn.

Seals supply us with oil; and with skins for trunks.

Bats live chiefly on insects.

Thus you see that many animals are very useful; and very few do us any harm.

Q U E S T I O N S.

LESSON XXVIII.

Have you a top?

Will it spin?

Does it hum?

Have you a cart?

Has it horses?

Has it a string?

Can you drag it?

Have you a drum?

Can you beat it well?

Where is it?

Will you lend it to me?

Where are the sticks?

Is it well braced?

May I beat it here?

How long may I have it?

Q U E S T I O N S.

LESSON XXIX.

Where is your doll?

What is she made of?

Is she made of wax?

May I see her?

What is her dress?

Has she a coat?—

Or does she wear a gown?

Has she a cloak?—

And a hat?

Has she a muff?

What is her best dress?

What has she on now?

Is she dressed in silk?

What colour is it?

Is it blue? or pink?

Is it plain? or striped?

A D M I R A T I O N S.

L E S S O N X X X.

Here she is ! dressed in white !

What a sweet doll !

How neat she is !

How light !

How well her cloaths set !

How neat are her shoes !

How fine her gown !

How nice her cloak !

How smart her hat !

What black eyes she has !

Her muff ! — how pretty !

I admire her gloves !

And she has a work-bag !

And scissars in it !

And a pin-cushion !

And, blefs me ! here is work !

Q U E S T I O N S.

LESSON XXXI.

Can you ride?

Have you boots?

Can you trot?

Have you a whip?

How big is it?

Will it crack?

Has it a lash?

Is it a long one?

Where is your horse?

Is he tall?

Or is he a hobby?

What colour is he?

Is he black? or bay?

How many hands high?

Is he gentle?

Have you a light saddle?



AD MIR A T I O N S.

LESSON XXXII.

What a nice horse !
How brisk he looks !
What a tail he has !
What a mane !
What a coat !
As soft as silk !
He is as sleek as a mole !
Charming creature !
What a beau-ti-ful skin !
How smooth !
How soft !
How bright !
What a neck he has !
How fine an arch !
He has a swan's neck !
I long to ride upon him !

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